

*The Commonwealth of Massachusetts*  
*Department of the State Treasurer*  
*Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission*  
*Boston, Massachusetts 02114*

*Steven Grossman*  
*Treasurer and Receiver General*

*Kim J. Gainsboro, Esq.*  
*Chairman*

**DECISION**

**MINA'S FOODS, INC. DBA VERA'S MINI MART**  
**1 PLUMMERS CORNER**  
**NORTHBRIDGE, MA 01588**  
**LICENSE#: 090400021**  
**HEARD: 3/20/2012**

Mina's Foods, Inc. dba Vera's Mini Mart (the "Licensee") holds an all-alcoholic beverages license issued pursuant to M.G.L. c. 138, §15. The Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission (the "Commission") held a hearing on Tuesday, March 20, 2012, regarding an alleged violation of M.G.L. c. 138, §34 (1 count). Prior to the commencement of the hearing, the licensee stipulated to the violation alleged in Investigator Jan Kujawski's Compliance Check Field Report.

The following documents and physical items are in evidence:

1. Investigator Kujawski's Compliance Check Field Report dated August 29, 2011;
2. Licensee's Stipulation of Facts;
3. Compliance Check Guidelines;
4. Underage Operative Signed Release;
5. Photo of Underage Operative;
6. Compliance Check Breathalyzer Results of Underage Operative; and
7. One (1) bottle of Miller High Life beer.

There is one (1) audio recording of this hearing.

**FACTS**

1. On Monday, August 29, 2011, at approximately 7:07 p.m., Investigators Jan Kujawski and Dennis Keefe conducted an investigation of the business operation of Mina's Foods, Inc. dba Vera's Mini Mart.
2. An underage operative working with investigators purchased an alcoholic beverage, a forty ounce (40 oz.) bottle of Miller High Life beer, for two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50). The underage operative was not asked for identification.

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CONCLUSION

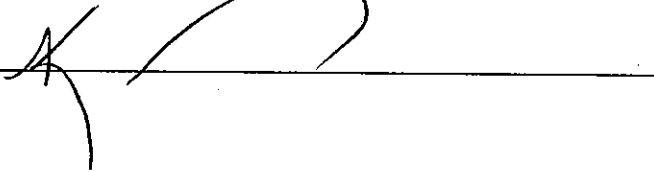
Based on the evidence, the Commission finds the licensee violated Massachusetts General Laws c. 138, §34 (1 count). Therefore, the Commission **suspends the license for four (4) days of which four (4) days will be held in abeyance for a period of two (2) years provided no further violations of Chapter 138 or Commission Regulations occur.**

**ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CONTROL COMMISSION**

Kathleen McNally, Commissioner



Kim S. Gainsboro, Chairman



Dated: March 20, 2012

You have the right to appeal this decision to the Superior Courts under the provisions of Chapter 30A of the Massachusetts General Laws within thirty (30) days of receipt of this decision.

cc: Local Licensing Board  
Frederick G. Mahony, Chief Investigator  
Jan Kujawski, Investigator  
✓Administration  
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